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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 97 and in compliance with Rule 56, Applicant hereby makes of record the two (2) items listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed items are enclosed.

The first item, US 3161083, was submitted in the information disclosure statement of January 23, 2002, however, an incomplete copy of the reference was provided. The second item is an English abstract corresponding to French reference FR2507550. FR2507550 was also submitted in the information disclosure statement of January 23, 2002.

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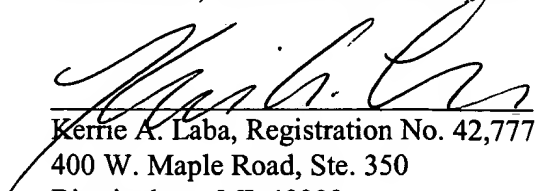
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Applicant believes that no additional fees are necessary, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

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